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Mr. Heschel,

Castle Engineering was retained to complete the load capacity analysis of the GH The Leveller. As per the information provided the GH Leveller is constructed using SAE Gr.5 bolts with a total leveler height of 4" (102mm) including 3" of gr.5 bolt and a 3/16" top and bottom plate.

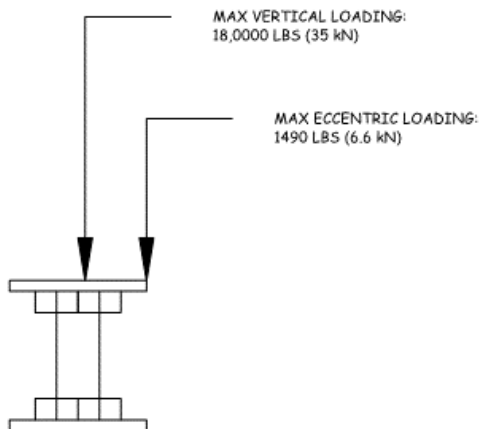
**Design parameters:**

Gr. 5 Bolts Yield Strength:	36 ksi
Effective sold core area:	0.5 in <sup>2</sup> (322 mm <sup>2</sup> )
Bending Stress Factor $\phi_b$ :	0.67
Compression Factor $\phi_c$ :	0.60
Design valid for total length of leveler bolt:	3" (75 mm)

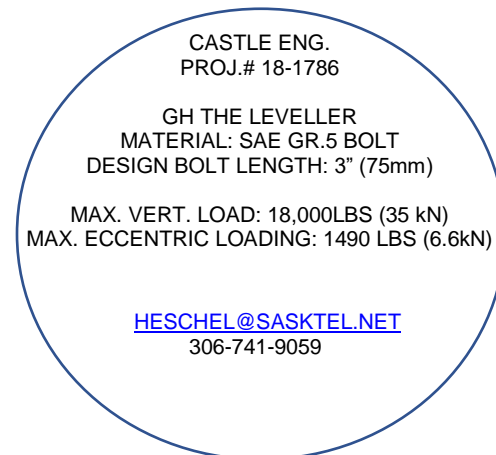
**Analysis design capacities:**

Max Vertical Loading (at center of leveler):	18,000 lbs (35kN)
Max Shear Eccentric Loading (at edge of disc):	1,490 lbs (6.6kN)
Factored Shear Resistance, Vr:	62.7 kips (279 kN)

It is recommended that the below sticker be fastened to each GH The Leveller.



**Sticker Template:**



Sincerely,

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